

COMMANDER IN CHIEF ALLIED FORCES SOUTHERN EUROPE

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Dear Mr. Governor,

I hope it has not been too much of an inconvenience to you in allowing Bill Harsch to assist me during the past several days. I was most happy to have him here to assist me in my preparations for confirmation hearings before the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence on my nomination as Director of Central Intelligence. Bill has provided me with valuable advice on current thinking and insights of many of the Congressional leaders. He has given freely of his time and talent and has been of great assistance.

Again, many thanks for allowing him to come to Washington to assist. Warm regards and best wishes.

Yours sincerely

STANSFIELD TURNER Admiral, U.S. Navy

The Honorable J. Joseph Garrahy Governor of the State of Rhode Island State House Providence, Rhode Island 02903